



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, DC

AUG 25 1998

Office of the Assistant Secretary

AFBCMR 98-01698

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

Under the authority of Section 1552, Title 10, United States Code, Air Force Instruction 36-2603, and having assured compliance with the provisions of the above regulation, the decision of the Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records is announced, and it is directed that:

The pertinent military records of the Department of the Air Force relating to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] be corrected to show that on 20 May 1998, she elected spouse only coverage, Option CA immediate coverage, under the Reserve Component Survivor Benefit Plan, based on full retired pay.

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DONNA PITTENGER
Chief Examiner
Air Force Board for Correction
of Military Records



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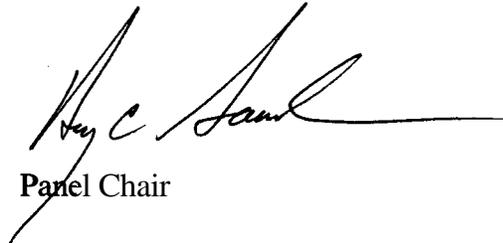
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MEMORANDUM OF CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION BEFORE THE AFBCMR

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

Having carefully reviewed this application, we agree with the recommendation of the Air Force Evaluation and adopt the rationale expressed as the basis for our decision that the applicant has been the victim of either an error or an injustice. Therefore, under the authority delegated in AFI 36-2603, the applicant's records will be corrected as set forth in the accompanying Memorandum for the Chief of Staff signed by the Executive Director of the Board or his designee.



Panel Chair

Attachment:
Ltrs, HQ ARPC/DR, dtd 8 Jul 98 & 5 Aug 98



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS AIR RESERVE PERSONNEL CENTER

08 JUL 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: HQ ARPC/DR
6760 E Irvington Place #3000
Denver CO 80280-3000

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records,
[REDACTED]

1. The requested correction cannot be accomplished administratively at this headquarters.
2. The member is requesting that her record be corrected to allow her participation in the Reserve Component Survivor Benefit Plan (RCSBP).
3. The following is an analysis of the circumstances surrounding the case:
 - a. A certified package, notifying the member of her eligibility to participate in the RCSBP was signed for by the member on 27 Feb 98 [REDACTED]. The package was sent to her home address: [REDACTED]
 - b. The member states that at the time she received the package, she was in the process of relocating and unable to submit her election within the 90 day time frame. The documentation submitted by the member substantiates this.
4. The requirement that the member submit an election within 90 days of receipt is clearly established by Title 10, United States Code, Section 1448(a)(2)(B). Although there is no evidence that an injustice has occurred, the situation warrants she be given the opportunity to participate in the RCSBP.
5. Recommendation: Recommend the member's request be approved. If the decision is to grant the relief sought, the member's record should be corrected to show that she elected full, immediate coverage for spouse and children (Option CF) under the RCSBP, effective 20 May 98.

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6. Action cer is Mr [REDACTED] He can also be reached by fax at [REDACTED]

SIGNED

ANN C. SHIPPY, Major, USAF
Deputy Director of Customer Assistance

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05 AUG 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR AFBCMR

FROM: HQ ARPC/DR
6760 E Irvington Place #3000
Denver CO 80280-3000

SUBJECT: Application for Correction of Military Records, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (SAF/MIBR Memo, 22 Jun 98) [REDACTED]

1. We have reviewed the above individual's ARRC Form 123, Reserve Component Survivor Benefit Plan Election Certificate (RCSBP).
2. Our advisory letter, dated 8 Jul 98, remains intact with the exception of our recommendation. If the decision is to grant the relief sought, we recommend the member's record be corrected to show she elected full, immediate coverage for spouse only (Option CA) under the RCSBP, effective 20 May 98.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ann C. Shippy", is positioned above the printed name.

ANN C. SHIPPY
Deputy Director
Directorate of Customer Assistance

Attachment
ARPC Form 123

cc:
SAF/MIBR w/o Atch